Global Run Experience with the Pixels-in-a-Box

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A Brief Report



- The subset of the Pixel Online Software version 2.6.6 was deployed: PixelFunctionManager, RS 3 Configuration, PixelSupervisor, PixelFECSupervisor, PixelTKFECSupervisor, PixelFEDSupervisor, PixelTTCSupervisor. Worked seamlessly with Run Control, Central Trigger and final DAQ.
- We did a Delay25 Calibration, CalDelay-WBC Calibration, VcThreshold-CalDelay Calibration, Address Levels Calibration, FED Baseline Calibration and a Pixel Alive Scan before we sent the PIB into action.
- It is now fully controlled by the Central Run Control now and needs little intervention from us.
- We are the most stable system so far!

Software Setup of the Pixels-in-a-Box at Point 5



Logs, Commentaries and Data Files

Most of the data was taken with triggers from the Drift Tube (DT) at 70 Hz. Occasionally Resistive Plate Chambers (RPC) triggers were added in. A brief commentary of each run taken on the 6th, 11th and 12th of March are available at:

http://spreadsheets.google.com/pub?key=pBwd4hDF5QT-oABcMBvI7Fw&gid=4

More details for each run for the whole detector can be found by entering the Run Number you're interested in at:

http://cmsmon.cern.ch/cmsdb/servlet/RunSummary?DB=cms_omds_lb

→ A pre-scaled sampling of the data taken via Spy FIFO 3 of the FED was written in

vmepcs2b18-11.cms:/home/PIBData/

Occupancy Plots from Offline Software Group

- We took some data for different values of *VcThreshold* just to see if we get the expected increase and decrease in occupancies.
- The data collected is being sent by DAQ's Event Builder through Storage Manager to Tier 0 automatically for Offline Analysis. Vincenzo Chiochia produced and showed us these occupancy plots for various runs at the Pixel Offline Software Meeting:



optimized by calibration minus 10

VcThreshold value optimized by calibration plus 10 VcThreshold value optimized by calibration plus 20